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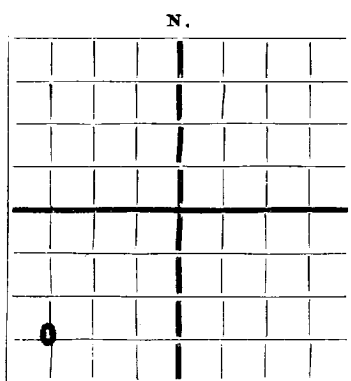
DEPARTMENT OF THE STATE GEOLOGIST

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO DRILL NEW WELL

Notice must be given to the State Geologist or to the proper Oil and Gas Inspector and approval obtained before drilling begins. If changes in the proposed plan are considered advisable a copy of this notice showing such changes will be returned to the sender. Submit this notice in triplicate. One copy will be returned following approval.

Mr. **R.L. HALLEY** **ACT**, State Geologist. **ARTESIA** N. Mex., **AUG. 21st 30** 19**30**

Dear Sir: You are hereby notified that it is our intention to commence the drilling of a well to be known as **STATE LAND** Well No. **5** in **W&B** of Sec. **32** T. **18** R. **38**, N. M. P. M., **HOBBS** Oil Field **LEA** County.



AREA 640 ACRES

LOCATE WELL CORRECTLY

The lessee is **THE OHIO OIL COMPANY.** Address **BOX 37, ARTESIA, NEW MEXICO.**

The elevation of the derrick floor above sea level is _____ feet. We propose to drill well with No. **ROTARY.**

Make of Drill _____

We propose to use the following strings of casing and to land or cement them as indicated.

Size of Casing	Weight Per Foot	New or Second Hand	Depth	Landed or Cemented
12 1/2"	50#	NEW	AROUND 200'	CEMENTED
9-5/8"	40#	NEW	AROUND 2750'	CEMENTED
7"	24#	NEW	3930-4000'	CEMENTED

If changes in the above plan become advisable we will notify you before cementing or landing casing. We estimate that the first productive oil or gas sand should occur at a depth of about **3100-3200** feet. Additional information:

We intend to follow the general plan adopted by all companies in this area.

Approved **8/21 30** 19**30**
Except as follows:

Sincerely yours,

THE OHIO OIL COMPANY.

Company or Operator.

By _____

Position **SUPERINTENDENT.**

Send communication regarding well to

Name **A.C. BROWN, BOX 37, ARTESIA, NEW MEX.**

Address _____

State Geologist or Oil and Gas Inspector.

R.L. Halley

Exhibit 409 shown 5/29/87

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